BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF UTAH

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IN THE MATTER OF TENTATIVE APPROVAL OF A LARGE MINING NOTICE SUBMITTED BY H. E. DAVIS & SONS, JUAB COUNTY, UTAH

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE TENTATIVE APPROVAL

Cause No. M/023/023

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THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS OF PRODUCTION, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 1 EAST, JUAB COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining of its intent to issue tentative approval to H. E. Davis and Sons for a Large Mine Notice of Intent, filed to continue existing mining operations. The name of the mining operation is Henry 1 & 2 mine. Mining activities have and will affect the following areas: SE/4, NW/4, Section 19, Township 15 South, Range 1 East; W/2, NE/4, Section 19, Township 15 South, Range 1 East; NW/4, SE/4, Section 19, Township 15 South, Range 1 East, Juab County, Utah.

- H. E. Davis & Sons has submitted a Large Mine permit application (Mining and Reclamation Plan) to continue open pit mining/quarrying of gypsum. The person representing the company is Mr. H. E. Davis, President, H. E. Davis & Sons, Inc., P. O. Box 903, Salem, Utah, 84653, Phone (801) 798-7355.
- H. E. Davis & Sons is fulfilling obligations under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975 (Section 40-8, UCA, 1953, as amended) with specific reference to Section 40-8-18 and will employ the following mining and reclamation techniques on approximately eight acres of private and federal land.

During Operations

H. E. Davis & Sons will mine gypsum in an open pit fashion. The excavated pit will have terraced highwalls with an appropriate slope. The gypsum will be excavated by dozing off the overburden, drilling and blasting the deposit, and loading the gypsum onto haul trucks for removal and processing at an off-site location.

Following Operations

H. E. Davis & Sons will regrade the pit perimeter. Roads and pads will be ripped and regraded where necessary. Regraded areas and benches of the highwall will be covered with topsoil. All mining-related equipment, structures, trash, and debris will be removed from the site. All reclaimed areas will be reseeded with an approved seed mixture.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this notice of intent to issue tentative approval is hereby requested to submit written protest within thirty (30) days of the date of publication to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 355 West North Temple, 3 Triad Center, Suite 350, Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203, setting forth factual reasons for his or her complaint, and thereafter, at a time and place to be established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining to show cause, if any, why this Notice of Intention (mine plan) should not be approved.

DATED THIS 4th day of November, 1993.

STATE OF UTAH

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

James W. Carter

Director .

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Tentative Approval for Cause No. M/023/023 to be mailed by first class mail, postage prepaid, the 3rd day of November, 1993 to:

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